



TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 13, 1910.

The first conversion to Christianity by Halley's comet is recorded in Brooklyn. At 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning a number of people who had abandoned their chambers to watch the comet from the roof of an apartment house were startled by a loud cry from one of their number. The man, a professed skeptic and agnostic, named Charles Stinson, was standing with arms outstretched to the heavens, weeping profusely. "This convinces me that there is a God," he said to his friends. "Hereafter I shall always live as a Christian. These stars could not be unless there is a God." The man assured his friends he meant to attend church regularly hereafter, and to convert himself as a God-fearing man should. "I had never seen the heavens as I did then," he declared. "I did not realize what a wonderful world it is; ruled and regulated by a power I cannot comprehend."

SENATOR HEYBURN, of Idaho, in an address Saturday night before old soldiers of the Union Veteran League in Washington, hurled defiance at the critics of his speech in the Senate against the acceptance of the status of Gen. Robert E. Lee in St. Louis Hall at the Capitol. He said:

It is an insult to you gray haired veterans who risked your life to save this nation to place the name of Robert E. Lee in the nation's Capitol. To me it is intolerable to have the rebel flag float beside old glory. When the time comes for the introduction of the resolution to accept Lee's statue another sermon will be preached on the floor of the Senate, and you will find others than myself who share this sentiment. I have examined the records and found that when Robert E. Lee resigned from the United States army it was after Lincoln had promoted him to a full colonelcy and that he drew his pay as such three days after he had accepted a commission from the Confederacy. That is the record of the man whom we are asked to accept as a hero, statesman and soldier.

In the language of Senator Bankhead, we hope Senator Heyburn feels better now.

As heretofore stated the Northern Indiana Conference of the Methodist Church decided at its session held in Buffalo last Friday that owing to the high cost of living families that entertain ministers shall not be asked to furnish more than one night's lodging and one meal. Under this decision the ministers will have to pay their own entertainment with the exception of one night and breakfast the next morning. This will undoubtedly have the effect of short sessions and limit attendance upon conferences.

LESLIE M. SHAW, of the Commercial Travelers' Association dinner in New York, last night told what he feared would happen to us if we had a war with Japan with any merchant marine to back up our warships. The former secretary, able man as he is, seems to be a victim of Hobbesism. By allowing his mind to feed entirely upon one subject he is rapidly becoming a man with one idea and that an erroneous one.

ACCORDING to a dispatch from Porto Maurizio, Mr. P. Borelli has declared that if his friends wish it he will again be a candidate for the presidency. This view will be received with regret by a large percentage of the conservative people of this country who, after patiently enduring Roosevelt for eight years, breathed easier when they supposed he had become a back number.

THE fact that there is not a southern man on the new customs court has moved several senators and some of the newly appointed members of the court to join a movement to have a southern man appointed to the position. Why the entire nation should have been ignored in this matter can not be ascertained satisfactorily by the administration.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, April 12

The following were nominated as plaintiffs in Virginia today: Chas. L. Pritchard, Front Royal; H. O. O'Leary, Granite; John O. Jackson, Blackstone; Charles Alexander, Blackstone; and Thomas W. Carter, Orange.

With the Senate of the United States in adjournment in honor of the event, the marriage of Miss Frances Dyer Clark, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Clarence D. Clark of Wyoming, and George Herbert Chapman took place at noon today in the Church of the Incarnation. The president, members of the Supreme Court, cabinet officials, and the colleagues of the bride's father in the national legislature were present. Harold Fabian, of Salt Lake City, a senator at Harvard Law, and Miss Ruth Chapman, the bridegroom's sister, acted as best man.

President Taft today commuted the sentence of Philip Morris, of New York City, who was convicted October 29 last of defrauding the government of customs duties on importation of Italian cheese and furs.

The House committee on library gave a favorable report to day the bill authorizing Redman Wamsutter and others to build a memorial to the American Indian in New York harbor. The statue to the Indian will be erected by popular subscription in connection with a movement begun a year ago by Mr. Wamsutter.

The prospects for the war between Peru and Ecuador are closer today than at any time since the recent outbreak. Reports to the State Department are to the effect that the war enthusiasm is running high at Lima and in Peru, in general, and the probable mobilization of troops in Ecuador is reported from Quito. The chances for a peaceful settlement in the dispute are rapidly diminishing.

The Vacant Judgeship.

Washington, April 12.—Following is the list from which President Taft is endeavoring to select a Supreme Court justice to succeed the late Justice Brewer: Governor Hughes, of New York; Judge Van Devanter, of Wyoming, in the Eighth Federal circuit; Solicitor General Lloyd M. Bowers, of the Department of Justice; Judges Hook and Sanborn, of the Eighth Federal circuit; Judges Hiseock, Andrews, Tompkins, and Crane of the New York Supreme Court; Judge Swartz, of the Supreme Court, of New Jersey; and Judge Deemer, of the Supreme Court of Iowa.

In addition to those the president has before him a lengthy list of names, recommended to him from various sources. Satisfied that the Standard Oil, and tobacco trusts cases will not be assigned for argument until the October term of the Supreme Court, the president will take his time to look over the field, but he will endeavor to select a man before the adjournment of Congress in order that the nomination may be confirmed by the Senate to allow the new justice to take up his work in October. Governor Hughes, of New York, and Judge Van Devanter of the Eighth Circuit, from which Justice Brewer hailed, seem to be the favorites in the large field. The president has let it be known that he would like to appoint a man from New York, because he filled the place of Justice Peckham of New York by naming Justice Lorton, a Tennessee man. But friends of Governor Hughes have intimated that the New York reformer would be tempted by nothing short of the chief justiceship. Meanwhile the Eighth circuit is urging that it be given representation in the selection of Judge Brewer's successor, and President Taft is well disposed toward Judge Van Devanter. The president has enlarged the field of possibilities by letting it be known that he did not consider that a judge who had been concerned in the large cases now pending before the Supreme Court was thereby barred from accepting an appointment. This view admits Solicitor General Bowers, Attorney General Wickensham, who has been casually mentioned, and Judges Van Devanter, Hook and Sanborn, of the Eighth circuit, all of whom have been involved in the Standard Oil and tobacco cases.

Mr. Walsh's Will.

Washington, D. C. April 12.—Mrs. Mary B. Walsh, the widow, and Mrs. Evelyn B. McLean, the daughter, received practically the entire estate of the late Thomas F. Walsh, whose will filed today leaves \$100,000 to charity. The estate of the mining king is estimated at from eight to ten millions. The sum designated for charity is to be turned over to the widow to divide among "such persons and in such amounts as she knows to be my wish in reference thereto." For this amount Mrs. Walsh is accountable to no one.

The widow and daughter will divide equally all the personal belongings in the palatial residence here and in the summer home in Colorado, as well as the horses, carriages and autos. The remainder of the estate constitutes a trust fund which must exist for ten years, the net income to be equally divided. At the expiration of the trust the estate is to be transferred to the widow and daughter in equal shares. If both die intestate before the lapse of the ten years, the estate is to be transferred to the American Security & Trust Company, which is named trustee and executor, and to Edward B. McLean, the son-in-law, as trustee for the McLean children. The trust then will expire when the present son becomes of age.

The will is dated January 16, 1910. A codicil, of the same date, gives Mrs. Walsh absolute ownership of certain lots in Brown's addition to Denver, Colo., and provides for Turner A. Wickensham, the agent for the Walsh properties, who is to remain in that capacity during the tenure of the trust.

To Be Guillotined.

Paris, April 12.—Without having been present in court at his own trial, Jean Lamarque, alias Granier, a mail murderer and one of the most desperate criminals in France, is to go to the guillotine at 10 o'clock, the criminologist, having identified a man arrested as the murderer, by comparison of thumb prints.

Three men have already been beheaded for participation in the crime for which Granier is to die. A merchant named Drome, of Valence, was reported to keep a large sum of money in his home. Four men entered his house, and demanded that he give up the money. Drome refused and his assailants tortured him to death in an open fire, first burning off his feet in an effort to force him to divulge the hiding place of his money.

Three of them David, Littard and Dromey, were arrested and found guilty and guillotined, marching to the guillotine singing snatches from popular songs.

Meat Riots.

New York, April 12.—The meat riots of the Jewish women, who demand that all kosher restaurants remain closed until the price of meat is reduced, broke out afresh in the Williamsburg district of Brooklyn today, and shortly before noon several hundred women attacked all the Jewish meat markets, forcing all but one to close and pouring oil on the meat.

Dr. Mark W. Blackburn, a member of a prominent and wealthy family of Pittsburgh, Pa., is dying, and Mrs. Violet Getty, who rejected his alleged suit, is severely wounded from shots which Blackburn fired in a rooming house in that city last night.

Governor Hughes recommended in a special message to the general assembly of New York, that a joint legislative committee be appointed to carry forward the fire insurance investigation and to look any its suggestions of bridge legislation corruption.

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SENATE

In a scorching denunciation of the Taft administration charging bad faith in the preparation of the president's railroad bill and accusing Attorney General Wickensham of betraying the public interests in abandoning a federal prosecution of a great railroad merger in New England, Senator La Follette paid his respects to the Taft-Elihu bill in the Senate today. He said the bill is the boldest raid upon public right in the form of legislation upon this great subject that the high bladders of big business have ever succeeded in having forced upon the serious consideration of Congress. Never before has anyone undertaken seriously to put through Congress a charter for the monopolization and oppression of the commerce of this country, such as is carried in the devious language and hidden purposes of this measure.

Never before has it been attempted to foreclose the people of this country of their rights without a hearing and to fasten irrevocably upon the commerce of the country the public burden of transportation charges to pay interest and dividends upon all the watered stocks and bonds which unrestrained corporate greed has set afloat in the financial channels of this country.

Mr. La Follette denounced J. P. Morgan as the controlling factor in the New Haven Railroad Company, for his arrogant disregard of public interests in New England.

A bill was passed reauthorizing \$61,000 contributed by private individuals to a fund for the ransom of Ellen M. Stone, who was seized by Bulgarian brigands. The same action has twice before been taken by the Senate, but the House refused to approve the appropriation.

The president's message relative to investigations regarding the transmission of cancer through fish was read. An appropriation of \$50,000 is asked for the work of inquiry.

HOUSE.

Declaring that the time has come for a new step forward in the solution of the transportation problem, Representative Mann, chairman of the interstate commerce committee, today opened the debate in the House on the administration's railroad bill. He went into an exhaustive explanation of its alleged merits.

West Point cadets charged with hazing will hereafter be granted a court-martial, according to a provision in the military appropriation bill, adopted by the House this afternoon after consideration.

The Albanian Revolt.

Constantinople, April 12.—With the exception of the small Prishtina section, the Albanian revolt continues today as active as ever.

Yesterday's dispatches announcing a pacification of the uprising turned out to be a well-engineered piece of government deception, as exclusively stated in yesterday's United Press despatch. Even at Prishtina the rebels have not yet dispersed, though the government announces that they have agreed to.

The War Department is continuing its preparations for the suppression of the uprising.

The Albanian deputies are making serious charges of brutality against General Djavid Pasha and other of the military leaders who were sent into Albania and are demanding a sweeping government investigation. One of the deputies in a speech today called Djavid a "butcher," citing instances of the latter's brutality when an attempt was made to call him to order.

Roosevelt and Pinchot.

Porto Maurizio, April 12.—Theodore Roosevelt today accepted an invitation, personally delivered by Gifford Pinchot, to address the meeting of the National Conservation Congress at Kansas City early in September.

The significance of today's acceptance is apparent. One of Roosevelt's pet reforms was the conservation movement—Pinchot was his right hand. Pinchot and Secretary Billings ran a full President Taft supported his cabinet member and called for the resignation of Pinchot.

Roosevelt has heard the Pinchot side of the controversy, accepted his friend's statement, and without waiting to hear from the other side, he has indicated that his sympathies are all with Pinchot. Pinchot's meeting with Roosevelt yesterday lasted almost until midnight, and it was entirely satisfactory to the ex-forester was shown by the broad smile that lighted his face when he returned to his hotel.

Deadwood, S. D., April 12.—U. S. Marshal Seth Bullock, for many years ultimate friend of Theodore Roosevelt has received by mail an invitation to join the former President in England.

Bullock is retiring as the contents of the letter, but admits he will meet Roosevelt in London about May 2. He declines to state the mission of his trip.

Trial of Night Riders.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 12.—A jury of mountain men, who know nothing about the operations of the Barley tobacco combine, will pass upon the guilt or innocence of Rev. John S. Steers and eleven Grant county farmers accused of "night-riding." Steers, who is a member of the legislature, and his co-defendants have been indicted in the federal courts charged with "interfering with commerce in restraint of trade." Their trial will be moved in Covington Thursday. It is alleged that in October, 1908, the indicted men retained W. T. Osborne, a Dry Ridge farmer, from Ohio, four hogheads of tobacco to Cincinnati, declaring if he did so he would be killed.

Ten Men Drowned.

Paris, April 12.—Ten of the crew of the pilot boat Hirenelle were drowned today in the sinking of the boat while going from St. Brieux to Fieschel.

Plot Discovered.

London, April 12.—Another plot for the release of Abdul Hamid, the deposed Sultan of Turkey, has been discovered at Salonika, according to a dispatch today from the Vienna correspondent of the London Globe. The plot is presumed to be the outgrowth of the uprising in Albania.

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Virginia News.

Funder's Day at the University of Virginia, fixed for tomorrow, April 13, has been postponed for one year because of inability of speakers to attend.

Thomas G. Leath, well-known theatrical man and president of the Leath theatrical circuit, died at the Memorial Hospital in Richmond yesterday after an illness of several weeks.

William P. Kent, of Virginia, who last night resigned his post as consul general to Guatemala to make a losing fight for governor of Virginia on the republican ticket will again enter the consular service. Mr. Kent was yesterday nominated by the president to be consul at St. John, New Brunswick.

The new law governing automobiles in Virginia will take effect June 15, and each owner in the state must pay a license tax of from \$5 to \$20. Where there is a chauffeur he must pay a tax of \$2.50 per annum. Complete copies of the new law are now being prepared in the office of the secretary of the commonwealth for distribution to auto owners.

With not a dissenting voice the Richmond Ministerial Union adopted the resolution presented at a meeting held in Richmond yesterday by Dr. J. N. Latham, of the Centenary Methodist Church in which he stated that consideration of a former resolution to inaugurate a local option campaign was out of order. This means that the union will entirely drop the local option war, which it was believed was upon the eve of being started in Richmond.

Forest fires are raging in the Diamond Swamp and hunters report finding skeletons of small animals, probably wild cat, which perished in the flames. The fire has swept for miles along the shores of Lake Drummond and in some places where the earth very much resembles peat the flames have burned the ground to a depth of 18 inches. Bar tracks were found along the shore of the lake, but, on account of the dense smoke, hunters could not venture into the swamp. The odor of burning brush prevails in towns 50 miles from the swamp.

Richard Evelyn Byrd, speaker of the House of Delegates, has been appointed counsel for the educational institutions, hospitals and government department of Virginia by Governor Mann, at a salary of \$4,000 a year, for a term of two years. The appointment was made on April 4, but for some reason was not announced until yesterday. Gov. Mann says he believes that this appointment will save the state a large amount each year, as formerly extra counsel had to be secured when needed.

There is as yet no clue in the assault case committed by an unidentified person on Mr. and Mrs. John Whitmore, near Brady station, Sunday morning. Both husband and wife are hurt much more than was at first thought, the woman's face being badly torn and bruised in addition to welts on her body; one of man's arms is useless. The assassin, as he ran from the house, being shot at by Mrs. Whitmore, said: "Now I don't want it; I have killed you both." This was after he told her that it was not money but himself he was after. The bloodhounds refused to take the trail.

Philanthropist a Criminal.

Berlin, April 12.—Charles May, a millionaire philanthropist of Dresden, author of religious books and stories for children, intimate friend of the king of Saxony and a leader in the social life of Dresden, was proved in a Berlin court today to be a notorious criminal whose law-breaking exploits startled all Germany forty years ago.

It was shown that he had undergone two prison terms, one from 1870 to 1873, and had been the chief of a band of robbers and desperadoes, whose violence terrorized the whole of Saxony. Other members of May's band were convicted of murders, of which it is now believed May was the instigator.

Presentation of Silver Service.

Charleston, S. C., April 12.—A five thousand dollar silver service, purchased by the people of South Carolina, was presented to the officers of the battleship S. C. 3 with Carolina at Charleston today, Governor Ames making the speech of presentation. A state flag was presented to the vessel by Mrs. Montie B. Barton, wife of the D. A. R. The ship will remain here until Friday and there will be one round of festivities.

Plane Destroyed.

Camden, N. J., April 12.—Plans for many vessels including those of the United States battleships Utah and Arkansas and those of the proposed battleships for the Argentine Republic were destroyed by fire in the drapery department of the New York Shipbuilding Company here this morning. The loss is estimated at anywhere from \$100,000 to \$500,000. The origin of the fire is said to have resulted from a stove in the restau kitchen.

Face Down on Live Wire.

York, Pa., April 12.—Working 30 feet above the ground upon the cross-tees of a pole in the South End yesterday, J. H. Durr, an Edison Electric Light Company lineman, touched the bare end of a live wire carrying 2,200 volts. He fell with his face upon live wires, but was rescued before he had received fatal injury.

Earthquake Shocks.

Kansas City, April 12.—Slight earthquake shocks were recorded on the Seismograph of the University of Kansas today, apparently between fifteen hundred and sixteen hundred miles to the southward. Two shocks, lasting one second and the other five minutes respectively.

Strike at Marseilles.

Marseilles, April 12.—A general strike of the sailors and marine engineers in every French port was declared this afternoon. Leaders declare that within 24 hours they will have completely tied up the shipping industry of France. The government is trying to get the marines to act as strike-breakers but they have so far refused. The local strike is completely today, 50,000 workers having quit. Business is at a standstill.

The Sanborn Air Line has granted a

six per cent. increase wages to its engineers, and all danger of a strike is ended.

MARRIED.

At the rectory of St. Stephen's Church, Washington, D. C., on April 11, by the Rev. Father Cassidy, WILLIAM F. ALE and GRACE M. ABBINGTON, both of this city.

DIED.

On Monday, April 11, 1910, at her residence, 303 Washington street, Mrs. HENRIETTA LYLE, wife of Edgar Lyles, funeral on Wednesday at 5 p. m.

News of the Day.

Harry A. Langdon, one of the best known survivors of the old-time school of American actors, died yesterday at the Actors' Fund home in New York. Langdon was born in Philadelphia in 1827.

With 5,000 acres burned over, St. Mary's county, Md., is fighting one of the worst forest fires in its history. The loss is fully \$50,000, and will be more unless rain falls quickly. State Forester Bailey, who arrived there today, organized a company of firefighters which went out yesterday and is still at work.

Four persons were seriously injured today in a trolley crash at Fifth and South streets, Philadelphia, when a Frankford car struck a Fairmont Park car. The park car, stuck in the middle, was barred to the pavement and turned over. The collision was due to carelessness or inexperience of the motorman on the Frankford car.

"All alive 2 p. m. November 14." This, the latest message from the fatal St. Paul coal mine fire at Cherry, Ill., was brought to light yesterday with the recovery of 31 bodies which had been entombed since the disaster of last November 13. The bodies were taken from the lowest level, 500 feet below ground. The men had retreated to a space 20 feet square and had constructed a rude fan of boards to keep the air circulating.

Seventeen physicians of Los Angeles, Cal., assisted at an operation Saturday for the removal of a table knife nine inches long from the stomach of Mrs. Sarah Carlson, an insane woman. The operation was successful and Mrs. Carlson is recovering. The knife had been in the stomach of the woman for several hours before the physicians could be induced to believe that the woman was indeed to have allowed it was not joking about the matter.

A cyclone, carrying with it many cottages, trees and timber, swept away the southern entrance of Pine Bluff, Ark., yesterday afternoon. Buildings were demolished, trees uprooted, fences blown away and much other damage done to property of telephone and telegraph companies. A woman was blown from her home and carried into the air. She was caught in telephone wires, and her screams attracted several men, who got ladders and let her down with a rope. She was unharmed.

In the discovery of the body of Frederick H. Smith under a pile of soot in the bottom of the 102-foot-smokestack of a ship in Acquia, Conn., the authorities believe, is revealed probably the most remarkable suicide in the history of the state. Both legs were broken, and the police expressed the belief that Smith climbed to the top of the stack and jumped down inside. He was last seen alive the week following Christmas, when he appeared one day about two o'clock in the boiler room and asked to be allowed to warm himself by the fire.

At the time the Mississippi Senate resumed its probing into the bribery scandal at Jackson yesterday an uproar was heard in the House side of the Capitol. Those who reached that side first found Representative Frank Burkett and Director of Archives and History Daniel Rowland engaged in a rough-and-tumble fight. Burkett, once a candidate for vice president on the populist ticket, but now a democrat and a very large man, was being vigorously pummeled. He finally got out from under his smaller antagonist and hit him on the head with a cane. The blow rendered Rowland unconscious. The row is supposed to have started over the bribery investigation. Rowland is not believed to be seriously hurt.

Dr. W. R. Miller and Mrs. J. B. Saylor were found guilty in Watauga, Ill., of manslaughter for the slaying last July of J. Bryan Saylor, a banker, of Crescent City. John Cranden, a medicine vender from Oklahoma, father of Mrs. Saylor, was acquitted. Punishment was fixed by the jury at 12 years' imprisonment for Dr. Miller and 3 years for Mrs. Saylor. J. B. Saylor was shot dead in the parlor of his home by Dr. Miller. Friends of Saylor alleged that there was a plot between Mrs. Saylor and Dr. Miller, who were great friends to get rid of Saylor. The defendants alleged that Mr. Saylor, wielding a hatchet, attacked Dr. Miller without provocation and that the doctor acted in self-defense.

Declared an Imposter.

Boston, April 12.—Branded as an imposter in his claim for the identity and fortune of Daniel Russell, of Melrose, Daniel Blake Russell, a Dickinson, North Dakota rancher, who has been fighting in court here for weeks, was brought close to prison doors here today when Judge Lawton absolutely denied his claim. The decision caused consternation among hundreds of the residents of Melrose, who thronged the court and who had recognized the claimant as the real "Danny" Russell, who vanished from Melrose 25 years ago.

Reached top of Mount McKinley.

Seattle, April 12.—Word reached here from Fairbanks, Alaska, that the Fairbanks Mount McKinley expedition, organized by practical Alaska explorers, has succeeded in climbing to the top of Mount McKinley. They required one month to make the ascent. The party reports that they found no trace of the records which Dr. Cook claims he left at the "Top of the Continent."

Alfonso's Heir.

Madrid, April 12.—The official denial of King Alfonso's heir, the Prince of the Austrians, that he is in any way defective, seems to have positively established the fact that the child, though 4 years old, cannot articulate. As it is generally believed that the disability is such that the king's second son Don Jaime must succeed to the throne, it is assumed that the trouble is mental.

New York Stock Market.

New York, April 12.—Irregular concessions in prices were made at the opening and in some pronounced weakness was in evidence. Amalgamated copper declined 1 point in the first five minutes. Most of the active railroad shares yielded slightly at the start, but developed a firmer tone in the late trading.

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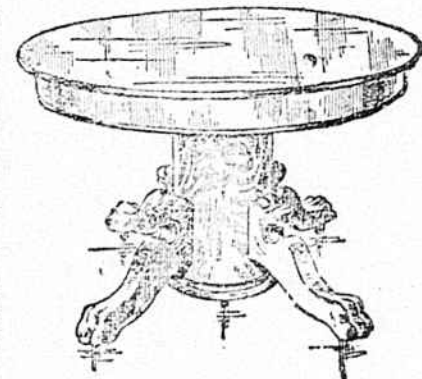
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NIGHT RIDERS.
Great interest is being taken by the officials of the Department of Justice in the trial of the twelve alleged night riders which will take place at Covington, Kentucky, this week.

The facts in the case were discovered by the department's agents during their investigation of the operations of the Barley Tobacco Society. A tobacco grower at Dry Ridge, Ky., who was not a member of the Barley Society, arranged to ship his crop, when he was told upon by masked men who demanded that he should withdraw the shipment. When he refused he was compelled to give up his bill of lading. With this the men secured his tobacco and destroyed it.

One of the twelve defendants is a member of the Kentucky legislature.

Jeffries' Condition.
New York, April 12.—From the training camp of Jim Jeffries at Rowardens are coming today conflicting reports of the former champion's condition. New York fans have been led to believe that the big fighter was in excellent shape and rapidly getting it to fighting trim. This, however, is denied in other quarters.